

FILED IN THE  
U.S. DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

**Apr 30, 2024**

SEAN F. MCAVOY, CLERK

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

LUKE MICHAEL SERVAS,

Defendant.

NO: 2:24-CR-0042-TOR-1

ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO  
WITHDRAW AND REFERRING TO  
MAGISTRATE JUDGE FOR  
APPOINTMENT OF COUNSEL

BEFORE the Court is Defendant's Counsel's *Ex Parte* Motion to Withdraw.  
ECF No. 24. This matter was submitted for consideration without oral argument.  
The Court has reviewed the record and files herein and is fully informed. The  
Court has reviewed Defendant's financial affidavit filed at ECF No. 14 and  
determines that he is eligible for Court appointed counsel. For good cause shown,  
the motion to withdraw is granted.

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1 **ACCORDINGLY, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

2 1. Counsel's *Ex Parte* Motion to Withdraw, ECF No. 24, is **GRANTED**.

3 2. This case is referred to Magistrate Judge James A. Goeke for the  
4 appointment of new counsel.

5 The District Court Clerk is directed to enter this Order and provide copies to  
6 counsel and to Magistrate Judge James A. Goeke.

7 **DATED** April 30, 2024.



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THOMAS O. RICE  
United States District Judge